

SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

File No. ....

Special Branch - CS6 Station,

REPORT

Date June 18, 1937.

Subject... Reginald Stuart BUCHAN - movements of.

Made by D.S. Pitts.

Forwarded by

Reginald Stuart BUCHAN, British, who forms the subject of File D. 6384, returned to Shanghai from Manila on June 11, 1937 on the s.s. "Scharnhorst." He is in possession of British Passport No. 10921 issued in Shanghai on July 7, 1934. On the Aliens' Declaration Form, this individual gave his Shanghai address as c/o Mrs. H.M. BUCHAN, 27 The Bund. This lady is the individual's mother but she has not resided at this address for over two years.

*D.S. Pitts*

D. S.

D.C. (Special Branch).



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REPORT

Date. March 23, 1937.

Subject Robert BUCHAN - movements of.

Made by D.S. Pitts.

Forwarded by *Michael Pitts*

Robert BUCHAN, British, about whom Capt. R. Boone of the U.S.M. Corps was making enquiries in January last, returned to Shanghai from Manila on the s.s. "Empress of Canada" on March 21, 1937. Mr. BUCHAN is a partner in Messrs. Allan & Buchan, Bill and Bullion Brokers, Sumitomo Bank Building, 69 Kiukiang Road.

D. S.

D. C. (Special Branch).



## Changes Made In Levy Staff

**Buchan, Cook, Heuser,  
Dunbar Shifting  
To South**

Several additions in the staff of S. E. Levy & Co., investment bankers and brokers, were announced today.

Mr. R. Buchan, who has been prominent in local exchange circles for many years, became a partner several months ago and is at present in Manila where the firm has established a branch office.

Mr. Donald A. Cook, who first came to the Orient with the Asia Banking Corporation in 1921, will become a partner in S. E. Levy & Co. effective March 31, and has been appointed managing partner of the Manila office. Mr. Cook has resided almost continuously in Manila for the last 15 years where he was engaged, in the investment and banking business. He was foreign manager of the China Banking Corporation for 10 years.

Mr. E. O. Heuser, well known in Shanghai financial circles, formerly accountant of the National City Bank of New York, has become associated with S. E. Levy & Co. as of March 1.

Mr. L. Dunbar of Hongkong has also recently become a partner in this firm and will remain in Hongkong in charge of the firm's activities in the Colony.

With these several changes it is not planned to enlarge the activities of the firm other than by the establishment of their recently announced branch office in the Philippines.

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January 27, 1937.

Memorandum on R. S. Buchan and  
W. M. Buchan.

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inquiries made  
on behalf of  
Capt. Boone  
who requested a  
copy of this  
memo.  
D.B.R.  
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Reginald Stuart Buchan, British, was born on 4.3.1899 in London. He first registered with the local British Consulate-General on 27.6.1927. From 1927 to 1931 he was employed with the Public Works Department, S.M.C. A shady character who associates with quite a number of suspicious persons, he is heavily in debt all over Shanghai and is unfavourably looked upon in many local circles. He married the daughter of a former Cuban Minister in Shanghai and is known to have taken refuge in the Cuban Legation from time to time in order to escape his creditors. At present he is separated from his wife. In March, 1934, R.S. Buchan in partnership with one Sam Newhouse and one Emile P. Lacours established the "Globe Mutual Credit, Savings, Pensions and Insurance Co. Ltd." at No. 2 Peking Road, which was registered as a Brazilian firm. In April of the same year, these individuals unsuccessfully endeavoured to obtain from the Chinese Government permission to continue functioning under licence, following which the company ceased to operate. On January 15, 1935, the local Brazilian Consul-General had the company struck off the register of the consulate as "not being established according to the law of the Brazilian Republic."

*Copy sent  
D.B.R. 28/11*

William Muir Buchan, British, was born on 8.2.1900 at London. He first registered with the local British Consulate-General on 27.6.27. From 1927 to 1932 he was employed with the Shanghai Fire Brigade. In 1934 he joined Messrs. Burkhardt, Buchan & Co. as a partner.

Both brothers, together with their sister Boreen

and their mother resided during 1933-1935 at No. 27 The Bund where they rented three rooms in that part of the building occupied by the offices of Mr. B. A. MacDonald, Canadian Trade Commissioner in China. The residence of the Buchan family was the only private apartment in the building in question, which is occupied exclusively by offices of various firms. It was reported that this circumstance was taken advantage of by their numerous friends, including Soviet employees and agents, who used the residence of the Buchan family as a place of rendezvous.

Messrs. Burkhardt, Buchan & Co. (1934) Ltd. was, in the spring of 1926, closely connected with the local branch of the Soviet concern "EXPORTILES". The firm in question was known as "L.R. Burkhardt" until 1920 when R.S. Buchan joined the company, which then assumed the name of "Burkhardt, Buchan & Co." On April 28, 1934, Mr. Burkhardt, a Swiss, and the principal partner, committed suicide, and in November of the same year, the company was liquidated. Towards the end of the year R. S. Buchan and his brother W. M. Buchan, re-established the company under the name of "Burkhardt, Buchan & Co. (1934) Ltd., with offices at Room 112, 2 Peking Road.

It was reported at this time that the Buchan brothers possessed but a very limited capital, and that their firm was in reality financed by Moscow in order to transact certain business through the medium of a British firm on occasions when it was not convenient for a Soviet concern to act directly.

The significance of this arrangement was augmented following the liquidation in 1935 of the local branch of Centrosojus (England) Ltd. and the establishment, in its stead, of a purely Soviet concern "EXPORTILES."

In 1935 and 1936 Messrs. Burkhardt, Buchan & Co. (1934) Ltd. dealt in various imports from the U.S.S.R.

Eventually, however, business became worse and worse with the company, and in the summer of 1936, it finally closed its doors, its directors being heavily in debt all over Shanghai.

The sister, Doreen Buchan, who was also a director of the company, left Shanghai for Manila on April 5, 1936 on the s.s. "Empress of Canada." It is reported that in Manila she became the mistress of a wealthy Filipino.

The two brothers left Shanghai on June 9, 1936 on the s.s. "President Grant" and made their way to Manila, their real reason for leaving this city being, it was reported, to escape their many creditors.

Prior to leaving, however, a number of judgments were given against them in H.M. Supreme Court for debt.

The two brothers and their sister returned to Shanghai on the s.s. "Potsdam" from Manila on January 14, 1937. They resided at the Cathay Mansions until January 26, when the brothers returned to Manila again on the s.s. "Potsdam." The sister still remains in the Cathay Mansions where she is staying with her mother Mrs. H. Buchan.

(Robert Buchan, British, born in Ireland on July 21, 1882, who is a partner of Messrs. Allan & Buchan, Bill and Bullion Brokers, Sumitomo Bank Building, 69 Kiukiang Road, resides at 29 Picardie Apts., 179 Route Winling.

He frequently makes business journeys to Manila where he is at present, having left Shanghai on the s.s. "Conte Rosso" on November 28, 1936.

He is not related to, or connected with, the Buchan brothers mentioned above.)

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Special Branch - Sl. Station,

REPORT

Date January 26, 1937.

Subject. Reginald Stuart BUCHAN and William Muir Augustus BUCHAN, return  
to Shanghai from Manila.

Made by J.S. Pitts.

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*Reverend L.L.*

Reginald Stuart BUCHAN and William Muir Augustus BUCHAN, British, two brothers, who were formerly directors of the now defunct Messrs. Burkhardt, Buchan & Co. (1934) Ltd., returned to Shanghai on January 14, 1937 from Manila on the S.S. "Potsdam." They remained in this city until January 26, 1937 when they returned to Manila, again on the S.S. "Potsdam". During their stay here, they resided at the Cathay Mansions, Rue Cardinal Mercier.

The two brothers obtained visas for travel in the Philippines valid for one year, from the local American Consulate-General on June 8, 1936 and on the following day left for Manila on the S.S. "President Grant." Their real reason for leaving Shanghai was reported to have been made in order to escape their many creditors here.

Despite the fact that they held positions of trust during their association with Messrs. Burkhardt, Buchan & Co. (1934) Ltd., the two brothers are regarded in well informed local circles as being thorough paced rascals who owe money right and left to the extent of several thousands of dollars.

The suspicions emanating from a certain quarter that Reginald Stuart BUCHAN and one Robert BUCHAN, who recently proceeded to Manila from Shanghai, were identical or were relations, appear to be unfounded.

Reginald Stuart BUCHAN, British, was born in London on March 4, 1899, his father being William Muir BUCHAN. Robert BUCHAN, a son of one Charles BUCHAN, was born on July 21, 1882 in Ireland, and he also is a British subject. This individual is a partner in the firm of Messrs. Allan and Buchan, Bill and Bullion Brokers, with offices at the Sumitomo Bank Building, 69

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Kiuxiang Road. He resides at Apartment No. 29, Picardie Apartments, No. 179 Route Winling, and our enquiries indicate that he is not related to, or connected in any way, with, Reginald Stuart BUCHAN.

Robert BUCHAN left for Manila on the s.s. "President Coolidge" on October 17, 1936, returning here on November 5, on board the s.s. "Gneisenau." On November 28, he again proceeded to Manila on the s.s. "Conte Rosso," and as far as is known locally, is still in the Philippines. He is expected to return to this port sometime during next month. These two trips are said to have been made on behalf of his company. In this connection, Robert BUCHAN obtained a visa for travel in the Philippines, valid for one year, from the local American Consular Authorities on October 7, 1936.

It should be mentioned that Miss Doreen BUCHAN, a sister of the two brothers, accompanied them on the s.s. "Potsdam" from Manila to Shanghai. She was born at Plymouth 28 years ago. Both she and her mother - Mrs. H. BUCHAN - are at present residing at the Cathay Mansions.

*da Pitts*

D. S.

Def. (Special Branch).



## **A FICTITIOUS FILATURE**

### **Troubles of a British Import Firm**

It is that a common habit out here," said Judge P. Grant Jones in H. M. Supreme Court yesterday, when, in the course of a judgment summons, the debtor said that his firm had lost a considerable amount of profit money when a contract for a consignment of silk was discovered to have been made out to a fictitious Chinese filature by a Chinese broker who had subsequently disappeared. Mr. K. E. Newman appeared for the judgment creditor, Mr. J. N. Sipser, who obtained judgments for U.S. \$5,000 and U.S. \$350 against Messrs. R. S. and W. M. Buchan last year.

When the hearing opened, Judge P. Grant Jones said that in future cases of this nature, judgment would only be given in Chinese standard dollars, as in order to obtain execution of any such judgments there had to be a conversion of the foreign currency into the local currency. Mr. Newman agreed.

Examined by Mr. Newman, Mr. R. S. Buchan said that the debt for U.S. \$5,000 was incurred in December, 1928, when his brother acted as guarantor. A year later, he joined Burkhardt, Buchan & Co., which was then a Swiss firm. He was paid no salary, but received a commission, and was given a present of \$4,500 when he married.

#### **Little Business Done**

The firm was later reorganized into Burkhardt, Buchan & Co. (1934), Ltd., a British company, the directors of which included his brother and his sister. He was still employed by this firm, which was connected with the import and export trade, but which did little business at the moment. He admitted never having paid any money back on the debt, but said that Mr. Burkhardt had formerly paid the interest on it, as the loan had been secured for him in the first place.

Witness admitted also that he had made promises to pay, but said that he had not been able to keep his promises as two Chinese filatures had repudiated their contracts, and the firm lost some \$12,000 in profits. One of the filatures subsequently changed its name, and the other was apparently fictitious. The Chinese brokers could not be found.

An offer by both judgment debtors to pay \$200 down on both debts, and to pay them off by instalments of \$100 a month was accepted by Mr. Newman, and an order to that effect was made by his Lordship.

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REPORT

Date April 18, 1936.

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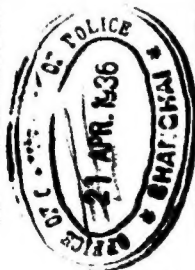
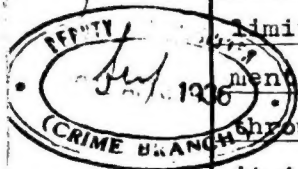
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Information from reliable sources indicates that the local British firm "Burkhardt, Buchan & Co. (1934), Ltd. (Incorporated under the Ordinances in Hongkong), Room 112, No. 2 Peking Road, (Glen Line Building), is closely connected with the local branch of the Soviet concern "EXPORTHLEB."

The firm in question was known under the name of "L. R. Burkhardt" until 1930, when Mr. R.S. Buchan joined as a partner, after which the firm adopted the name "Burkhardt, Buchan & Co." On April 28, 1934, Mr. Burkhardt, Swiss, the principal partner, committed suicide and in November 1934 the company was liquidated. Towards the end of the same year R.S. Buchan and his brother, W.M. Buchan, reestablished the firm under its present name at the above address where is also situated the office of the "Export Pongee Company, Silk & Tea Export, owned by the Buchan brothers.

It is reported that the Buchan brothers possess only a very limited capital but that their firm is financed by the government of the U.S.S.R. in order to be able to transact business through the medium of a British firm on certain occasions when it is not convenient for a Soviet owned concern to act directly. The significance of this arrangement has been augmented following the recent liquidation of the local Branch of the Centrosolus (England) Ltd. and establishing in its stead of a purely Soviet concern "ExportHleb". At present Burkhardt, Buchan & Co. deals in machinery, motor trucks, chemicals, paper, etc., imported from the U.S.S.R. Through the medium of Messrs Buchan the local American firm "China Electric Company, Ltd. No. 269 Lay Road, recently obtained an agency for certain machinery imported from the U.S.S.R. The show rooms of the latter company



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are situated at No.460 Fokien Road (Shanghai Telephone Company's Building).

Reginald Stuart Buchan, British, was born on 4.3.1890 in London. He was first registered with the local British Consulate-General on 27/6/1927. From 1927 to 1931 he was employed with the public works Department, S.M.C. It is reported that he is a shady character who associates with quite a number of suspicious persons. He was heavily in debt all over Shanghai and is unfavourably looked upon in many local circles. He was married to the daughter of the former Cuban Minister in Shanghai and is known to have taken refuge in the Cuban Legation from time to time in order to escape his creditors. At present he is separated with his wife. In March, 1934, W.S. Buchan in partnership with Sam Newhouse and Emile P. Lecours established the "Globe Mutual Credit, Savings, Pensions and Insurance Co. Ltd". at No.2 Peking Road, which was registered as a Brazilian firm. In April of the same year they made an unsuccessful endeavour to obtain from the Chinese Government permission to continue functioning under licence, following which the company ceased to function. On January 15, 1935, the local Brazilian Consul-General struck the company off the register of the consulate as "not being established according to the law of the Brazilian Republic".

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It is also reported that a few months ago one of the Buchan brothers mentioned during the course of a conversation that he intended to proceed to Moscow shortly, where he would be decorated with the "Order of Red Star" for services he had rendered to the Government of the U.S.S.R. in connection with promoting Soviet trade in South China. It appears that during the course of 1935 one of the Buchan brothers visited Hongkong and Canton on two occasions and that in 1936 W. Buchan made a trip to the U.S.S.R.

It is reported that at present the foreign staff of the company consists of three persons, including Miss Zoia Ermakoff alias Barr, a Russian.

*G. Ichoromshansky*  
D. S.

Officer i/c Special Branch.

*DC Crime  
Information*

*John Robertson  
Cable SB*

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F&S No. REGISTRY.

Special Branch - S. 2 Station

REPORT

Date December 31, 1934

Subject (in full) The Globe Mutual Credit, Savings, Pensions and Insurance Company Limited.

Made by D.S. Pitts.

Forwarded by

*JB Rm*

with reference to the attached instructions of the Deputy Commissioner (Special Branch) relating to "The Globe Mutual Credit, Savings, Pensions and Insurance Company Limited, No. 26a Canton Road," I have to report that this organisation has never functioned at the above mentioned address.

It did, however, exist as a public savings society during March and April of the current year at No. 2 Peking Road, being financed and sponsored by Messrs. Burkhardt, Buchan & Co., which concern went into liquidation during July or August, 1934.

The business of the Globe Mutual Credit, Savings, Pensions and Insurance Company Limited was conducted on lines similar to those of the now well-known International Savings Society (I.S.S.) and it was in an endeavour to capture part of the prospective trade of the latter concern that the former organisation was established.

In April 1934 it made formal application to the Chinese Government for permission to continue functioning under licence, but the necessary authorization was not granted, it being the policy of the National Government to prohibit all such ventures, as it is considered that such schemes are of a pernicious nature affecting public welfare and can be likened to a huge swindle. (In this connection it should be mentioned that were the International Savings Society not protected to a certain extent by being housed in the French Concession locally, it would cease functioning through pressure from the Chinese Authorities).

Following its unsuccessful endeavour to obtain a licence, the company in question ceased to function and definitely does not exist at the present time, although rumours

*C.P. Report forwarded. I think you should see value in it.*

*W. B. D.C. (C.M.S.) -3 JAN 1935*

*File J.H.S.*

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are current to the effect that it will be reorganised and will continue functioning in the confines of the local settlements some time during February 1935.

During the course of investigations, the attached blank policy in respect of a "Credit and Savings Policy for 10 Years with Nominal Value of \$240.00" issued by the Globe Mutual Credit, Savings, Pensions and Insurance Co. Ltd. was confidentially obtained. The aims and objects of this company can be clearly seen from the contents of this document, which openly states that the concern is.....registered under the companies laws of the Republic of the United States of Brazil.....".

Nothing has been learned of the recent activities of Sam Newhouse and Emile P. Lecours that could be construed as being to their detriment, but in the case of Reginald S. Buchan it has been learned that he is a shady character who associates with quite a number of suspicious persons. He is heavily in debt all over Shanghai and is unfavourably looked upon in many local circles. In addition it is known that from time to time, in order to escape his creditors, he takes refuge in the Cuban Legation, he being a relation by marriage with the Cuban Minister.

*J. A. Pict.*

D. S.

Deputy Commissioner (Special Branch).

*D. G. (br.)*

*Passed to you. I understand the Cuban Minister's daughter left R. S. Buchan when she discovered his real character.*

*J. H. G.* JAN 3 1935

NUMERATION OF THIS POLICY  
For Group "A" of 30,000 Policy Holders No. 00833  
For Group "B" of 1,000 Policy Holders No. 833  
For Group "C" of 100 Policy Holders No. 33

INDEMNIFICATION FOR  
DEATH OR ACCIDENTAL  
DISABLEMENT \$ 1,000  
(One Thousand)



Age

Years

Ordinary Monthly Premium \$ 2.00.

**Credit and Savings Policy for 10 Years. Serie "C"**  
with nominal value of \$ 240.00

and partial devolution of premiums without interest or total with accumulated surplus

*In Consideration of the declarations and stipulations set forth in the application for this Policy which forms integral part of this contract and of the payment of the above mentioned premium which must be effected at the Company's office the first day of every month beginning on the day this Policy is issued and until all the premiums for the life of the Policy have been completely paid.*

*The Company, hereby Guarantees, To Pay to Mr. (s),  
hereinafter denominated the policy holder, the sum of One Thousand, Five Hundred  
Two Hundred and Fifty, 24, 48, 72 or 12 dollars, in accordance with the time and form  
which is set forth in the Privileges for Monthly Redemptions printed on the back of this Policy  
namely Group "A" of Annuities or Capitals, Group "B" of settled certificates and Group "C" of Semi-Annual  
Premium Bonus.*

*If in the redemption that the Company holds monthly this Policy is not redeemed and by  
the same reasons the Policy holder does not receive a settled certificate nor a semi-annual  
bonus and providing ten years have elapsed counting from the date on which the first ordinary  
monthly premium was paid and providing all the premiums have been paid then the Company will pay  
to the policy holder the total amount of paid up premiums plus any accumulated surplus but will deduct  
from this total the proportional expenses assigned to each Policy plus any amounts that the Policy holder  
may owe the Company as well as any devolutions that may have been paid to the policy holder.*

*The Privileges, options and stipulations consigned on the back of this certificate as well as what  
is stated in the articles of Association and application form are binding on both the Policy holder and  
the Company.*

*In Witness whereof The Globe Mutual Credit, Savings, Pensions, and Insurance  
Company with office in this City of Shanghai and registered under the companies laws of the Republic  
of the United States of Brazil issues, signs, and seals this Policy on the  
day of the month of 193*

VICE PRESIDENT AND DIRECTOR GENERAL

PRESIDENT



The Globe Mutual Credit Savings  
Pension and Insurance Company Limited  
Canton Road, 26A

Sam Newhouse, Reginald S. Buchan, Emile P. Lecours

BRAZILIAN CONSULATE GENERAL  
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\* See file 30922  
etc.

D.S. Pitt  
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For careful and discreet inquiries  
please.  
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**BURKHARDT. BUCHAN  
& CO., LTD.**  
(In Liquidation)

**Notice of Dissolution and  
Appeal to the Creditors**

THE dissolution and entry into liquidation of the Company has been decided by the shareholders at an Extraordinary General Meeting held on November 30, 1934.

The creditors are invited to announce their claims forthwith to the Administrator, 62 Verdun Terrace, Shanghai.

THE ADMINISTRATION.

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*WJG*  
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## PROMINENT BUSINESS MAN FOUND DEAD

H. J. Burkhardt In Flat  
With Bullet Wound  
Through Heart

### SUICIDE INDICATED LONG ILL-HEALTH

With a bullet wound through his heart, Mr. Henry James Burkhardt (64), well-known Shanghai business man and resident of many years' standing, was found dead in his flat in the Glen Linc Building, Peking Road, early yesterday afternoon, in circumstances that point to suicide. He had suffered from heart trouble for some time.

Mr. Burkhardt was senior partner in the firm of Burkhardt, Buchan and Company, Ltd., merchants, of 19a-26a Canton Road. When he returned from the office to his flat, on the sixth floor at 2 Peking Road, for tiffin yesterday he appeared quite normal, and after the meal went to his bedroom for his customary rest.

At 2 p.m. his wife went to the room to call him and found him lying over the bed with a bullet through his heart. On the bed was a .25 calibre pistol containing one spent cartridge. Death had apparently been instantaneous. The fact that the sitting room is a long way from the bedroom accounts for the shot not being heard there.

Mr. Burkhardt is not known to have had any financial worries, but being a victim of heart trouble had been in ill health for some months. He was a Swiss citizen and officials from the Swiss Consulate-General visited the flat during the afternoon. Convinced that death was due to suicide, they decided not to hold an inquest.

Mr. Burkhardt had been in China some 33 years, and in addition to his place in the business world was very prominent and popular in local Swiss circles. He was a member of the Shanghai Club.

Mr. Burkhardt is survived by his widow, daughters and grandchildren. His widow is a sister of Mr. R. S. Buchan, his partner.

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CONSULADO GERAL DOS ESTADOS UNIDOS DO BRASIL

Shanghai January 10, 1935.

J. K. Jones Esq.,  
The Secretary  
The Shanghai Municipal Council,  
Shanghai, China.

SIR,

I have the honour to inform you herewith that  
I have cancelled from the Register of this Consulate  
General the "Globe Mutual Credit Savings Pension and  
Insurance Co., Ltd.", 26-a Canton Road, Shanghai, formed  
by J. L. ROUSE, R. GILLES, G. B. CHAN, and EMILE F. LECOURS,  
as having been established according to the Law of Brazilian  
Republic.

In case the above company is registered as a  
Brazilian organisation with the Shanghai Municipal Council,  
I shall be very grateful if you will kindly give the  
necessary orders to cancel such registration.

Yours faithfully,

Mario de Castello Branco  
Brazilian Consul General.

BURKHARDT, BUCHAN & CO.  
Connected with Soviet concern "EXPORTHL B".

BUCHAN, Reginald Stuart  
British. Helped the "Globe Mutual Credit,  
Savings, Pensions and Insurance Co. Ltd."

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SMP: No. S. B. D 6384

BUCHAN, William Muir  
British. Partner in "Burkhardt, Buchan & Co."

LECOURE, Emile P.  
Helped establish the "Globe Mutual Credit, Savings, Pensions and Insurance Co., Ltd."